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lesson of 9/11 .... Evanescence of civility  
World is not at peace, and our homeland is  
not insulated. Not only the economy, but the  
venues of human conflict are globalized. Smaller  
groups, even individuals can make war  
We do well to shore up our security, to  
recognize the vulnerabilities of our cities,  
our complex economy, our social order. We  
have no choice but to fight back, to contain  
and deter malicious enemies, to reduce  
the motivations for violence, in every way we  
can. I am perplexed how we can do that and  
preserve our soul as a liberal, democratic  
society.

Our own actions in self-defense may  
put many innocents at risk.

There is one step we can take as an earnest of  
our humanity, and that is to mandate global  
health as part of our campaign to exalt global  
civility.